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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: M. UMEMURA, et al
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Examiner: I. N. Borissov

AMENDMENT

MS Amendment

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

June 28, 2005

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 28, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Amendments to the Specification

Amendments to the Claims

Remarks are included following the amendments.